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In re Application of :
Masahiko Hatori et al :
Application No. 09/872,656 :
Filed: June 1, 2001 :
Attorney Docket No. JP920000188US1 :

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed February 10, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The two-month period for filing an appeal brief in triplicate (accompanied by the fee required by 37 CFR 1.17(c)), runs from the date of this decision.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the final Office action mailed June 24, 2004, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on September 25, 2004.

The file does not indicate a change of address has been submitted, although the address given on the petition differs from the address of record. If appropriate, a change of address should be filed in accordance with MPEP 601.03. A courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to the address given on the petition; however, the Office will mail all future correspondence solely to the address of record.

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This matter is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 2674 for further processing.

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